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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

IMAGE SENSOR WITH STABILIZED BLACK LEVEL AND LOW POWER

CONSUMPTION

By (Inventors):

Katsuyosi YAMAMOTO, (Kawasaki-shi, Japan) and Jun FUNAKOSHI,

Docket No.

Date:

107346-00016

February 20, 2001

(Kawasaki-shi, Japan).

$\boxtimes$	36 pages of Specification/Claims 1-10/Abstract are attached.
$\boxtimes$	Formal drawings (Figs. <u>1-19</u> ; <u>19</u> sheets are attached.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

An assignment of the invention to <u>FUJITSU LIMITED</u> is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.

An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.

This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.

A Preliminary Amendment is attached.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed

Priority of foreign application No. 2000-092967 and 2000-092971 filed March 28, 2000 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO	. EXTRA	
BASIC FEE	13.00		100	
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 - 20	=	0	
INDEP CLAIMS	6 - 3	=	3	
☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				

SMALL ENTITY					
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>			
	\$ 355	<u>OR</u>			
x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>			
x 40 =	\$	<u>OR</u>			
+135 =	\$	<u>OR</u>			
TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>			

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RA	TE	FEE	
		\$ 710	
x 18		\$	
x 80		\$ 240	
+27	0	\$	
TOT	AL	\$ 950	

A check in the amount of <u>990.00</u> (950.00 for the filing fee and 40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee)] is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted

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